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Wm Lloyd Garrison Esq.

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Dr Sir

I wrote to
you several days
ago and having received
no answer fear my
note may have mis-
carried.

Atkinson is
ready now both to
speak and to put his
shoulder to our work.

to Mr Villard to which I have no
answer. I shall ask Mr. Atkinson
to engage the hall for the 23rd or if
he thinks that too soon for the 24th.

Lee Trade is beginning to move
here and we have a modest meeting
at the Academy of Music in contempla-
tion.

I am, Yours With great Respect
N. York
mch 16. Mahlon Sands

I hope very much in-
deed that you will
consent to speak for
us, as we set great store
upon your ability to
start a good war cry.

The people have learned
to look upon you as a
leader therefore lead us
young men into this
great battle for liberty
justice & philanthropy.

I shall be in Boston
on the morning of the
20th and hope the meeting
can be arranged for the
23rd. I also sent a line

David Thurston -
Arthur Tappan -
Samuel Fessenden -
Owen Lovejoy -
Joshua R. Giddings -
O. W. Albee -
John Jolliffe -
Jesse Steedman -
Joshua Coffin.